(d) what is the number of textile mills, which remained closed during this period and the number of workers affected by the closure of these mills?

THE MINISTER OF TEXTILES (SHRI RAM NIWAS MIRDHA): (a) As on March 31, 1988 there were 1045 cotton/Man-made fibre textile mills in the country.

(b) to (d) A statement is attached.

Statement

(b) The total production of cloth by the Textile Mills during the last three years was as under:

Year	Estimated production of cloth in Million metres
1985-86 . .	3376
1986-87 . .	3317
1987-88 . .	3027

The Workers on roll in these mills is estimated as under:

May	1986	.	12.53 Lakhs
March	1987	.	12.16 Lakhs
March	1988	.	12.18 Lakhs

The number of of Cotton|Man-made fibre textile mills remaining closed and the workers affected during the period as under:

Period Ending	No. of mills closed	Workers on Roll (in lakhs)
1985-86	72	0.95
1986-87	90	1.27
1987-88	133	1.61

Detection of violation of FERA cases

1617. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) what is the number of FERA violation cases detected by Government during the last financial year alongwith the names of individuals/companies and amounts recovered in each of the case;

(b) what were the corresponding figures of cases detected during the last financial years 1985-86 and 1986-87; and

(c) what are the details of action taken by the Government in each of these cases?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI EDUARDO FALEIRO): (a) to (c) The number of cases in which adjudication proceedings have been initiated by the Directorate of Enforcement (FERA) for violation of the provisions of FERA are as under:—

1985-86	1986-87	1987-88
4,524	6,278	8,509

As the number of cases is very large, the time and labour involved in collecting and furnishing case-wise details will be disproportionately high. Appropriate action under the law, as warranted by the result of adjudication proceedings, is taken.

Death claim cases decided by LIC

1618. DR. MOHD. HASHIM KIDWAI: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased state:

(a) what is the number of death claim cases presented before the Life Insurance Corporation during the year 1987-88 Statewise;

(b) what is the number of death claim cases decided by the Corporation during the last financial year Statewise alongwith the amount paid;